

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

Please replace the claims with the claims provided in the listing below wherein status, amendments, additions and cancellations are indicated.

1.(Currently Amended) A transfer method comprising:

applying an adhesive to an upper surface of a pattern, the pattern having been formed on a transfer sheet by copying or printing, the adhesive having a surface tension such that the adhesive moves smoothly on the upper surface of the pattern, the adhesive being one of a hot-melt adhesive, water-soluble, or alcohol soluble adhesive ~~including acrylic pressure sensitive adhesive, polyvinyl acetate adhesive, chloroprene rubber adhesive, polyurethane resin adhesive, polyvinyl chloride adhesive, and silicon rubber adhesive;~~ and

transferring the pattern to a substrate by applying pressure or heat, wherein one or more patterns can be transferred on a substrate and wherein the patterns are adapted to be able to overlay on one another on the substrate.

2.(Currently Amended) The transfer method according to claim 1 wherein the adhesive is one of a water-soluble or alcohol soluble adhesive ~~including acrylic pressure sensitive adhesive, polyvinyl acetate adhesive, chloroprene rubber adhesive, polyurethane resin adhesive, polyvinyl chloride~~

~~adhesive, and silicon rubber adhesive~~, wherein the adhesive is adapted to be capable of being colored by paint.

3.(Currently Amended) A transfer method according to claim 1 or 2, further comprising:

forming one or more coating layers on the transferred ~~patterns~~ pattern after the transfer step is carried out, wherein the one or more coating layers are one of a transparent and a colored coating liquid.

4. (Currently Amended) A transfer method according to Claim 1 or 2, wherein the transfer sheet comprises:

one of a copy sheet ~~and~~ or print sheet, the print sheet ~~and~~ or copy sheet comprising a removal sheet as a remover layer; and a liner sheet; ~~and~~
~~— a pattern for transfer which is copied or printed on the removal sheet of one of the copy sheet and the print sheet.~~

5.(Previously Presented) A transfer method according to claim 4, wherein the remover layer of the transfer sheet is formed by applying a remover to the liner sheet.

6.(Cancelled).

7.(Currently Amended) A transfer method comprising:

forming a pattern on a transfer sheet ~~with a pattern~~, the pattern being formed by one of copying and printing on a remover layer, the remover layer being on a liner sheet; and

transferring the pattern, wherein one or more patterns can be transferred on a substrate and wherein the patterns are adapted to be able to overlay on one another on the substrate, and wherein the transferring comprises one of adhering with transparent or semi-transparent adhesives by using pressure, and adhering with a hot-melt resin by adding the heat of an iron.

8. (Previously Presented) A transfer method according to claim 7, wherein the remover layer of the transfer sheet is formed by applying a remover to the liner sheet.

9. (Cancelled).

10.(Currently Amended) A transfer method comprising:

forming one or more patterns on a transfer sheet, said patterns ~~with a pattern~~ formed by copying or printing said one or more patterns ~~the pattern~~ on a

remover layer of the transfer sheet, the transfer sheet comprising a remover layer on a liner sheet; and

applying an adhesive to one of an upper surface of said one or more patterns ~~a pattern~~ for transfer formed on a transfer sheet or a transfer surface of a substrate, the adhesive for transfer being one of an acrylic pressure sensitive adhesive, polyvinyl acetate adhesive, chloroprene rubber adhesive, polyurethane resin adhesive, polyvinyl chloride adhesive and silicon rubber adhesive, the adhesive having flexibility and staining properties; and

transferring said one or more patterns onto a substrate, said one or more patterns ~~the patterns~~ being adapted to be able to overlay on one another on the substrate, and wherein said one or more patterns ~~the pattern~~ with the adhesive are ~~is~~ applied onto the substrate or said one or more patterns ~~the pattern~~ without adhesive ~~is~~ are applied onto the portion of the substrate having adhesive.

11.(Previously Presented) A transfer method according to claim 10, wherein the remover layer of the transfer sheet is formed by applying a remover to the liner sheet.

12.(Cancelled).

13. (Previously Presented) A transfer method comprising:
applying an adhesive with a brush to an upper surface of a pattern, the pattern having been formed on a transfer sheet by copying or printing; and
transferring the pattern to a substrate by applying heat or pressure.
14. (Previously Presented) The transfer method of claim 13, wherein the heat is applied by an iron.
15. (Previously Presented) The transfer method of claim 13, wherein a surface tension of the upper surface of the pattern is larger than the surface tension of water.
16. (Previously Presented) The transfer method of claim 13, wherein the adhesive moves smoothly on the upper surface of the pattern because of a surface tension of the adhesive.
17. (Previously Presented) The transfer method of claim 13, wherein the transfer sheet comprises a remover layer on which the pattern is formed and the remover layer and adhesive are adapted such that the adhesive slips off the remover layer.

18. (Previously Presented) The transfer method of claim 13, further comprising over-transferring a pattern on another pattern.

19. (Previously Presented) The transfer method of claim 13, further comprising coloring the adhesive with paint.

20. (Previously Presented) The transfer method of claim 13, further comprising coloring the adhesive to be white.

21. (Currently Amended) The transfer method of claim 13, further comprising forming one or more coating layers on the transferred ~~patterns~~ pattern after the transfer step is carried out.

22. (Previously Presented) The transfer method of claim 19 wherein said coloring of said adhesive is done by mixing the adhesive and the paint with a brush.

23. (Previously Presented) The transfer method of claim 13 further comprising cutting a portion of the transfer sheet with a pair of scissors, said cutting being done before said pattern is transferred to said substrate.

24. (Previously Presented) The transfer method of claim 23, wherein said portion of said transfer sheet includes the pattern to be transferred.

25. (Previously Presented) The transfer method of claim 21, wherein said one or more coating layers are colored.

26. (Currently Amended) The transfer method of claim 13, further comprising:

over-transferring a pattern on another pattern;

coloring the adhesive to be white by mixing the adhesive and white paint with a brush;

forming with a brush one or more coating layers on the transferred ~~patterns~~ pattern after the transfer step is carried out; and

cutting a portion of the transfer sheet with a pair of scissors, said cutting being done before said pattern is transferred to said substrate and said portion of said transfer sheet including the pattern to be transferred, wherein

the transfer sheet comprises a remover layer on which the pattern is formed,

the heat is applied by an iron,

the surface tension of the upper surface of the pattern is larger than the surface tension of water,

said remover layer has been formed by spraying,
said copying or printing is done with a resin toner, and
said adhesive is one of acrylic pressure sensitive adhesive,
polyvinyl acetate adhesive, chloroprene rubber adhesive, polyvinyl chloride
adhesive, or silicon rubber adhesive.

27. (New) The transfer method according to claim 1, wherein said hot-melt adhesive, water-soluble adhesive, or alcohol soluble adhesive comprises at least one selected from the group consisting of: acrylic pressure sensitive adhesive, polyvinyl acetate adhesive, chloroprene rubber adhesive, polyurethane resin adhesive, polyvinyl chloride adhesive, and silicon rubber adhesive.

28. (New) The transfer method according to claim 2, wherein the adhesive is one of a water-soluble or alcohol soluble adhesive comprising at least one selected from the group consisting of: acrylic pressure sensitive adhesive, polyvinyl acetate adhesive, chloroprene rubber adhesive, polyurethane resin adhesive, polyvinyl chloride adhesive, and silicon rubber adhesive.

29. (New) The transfer method of claim 13, wherein
said adhesive is applied to an upper surface of said pattern before said
transferring of said pattern to said substrate, and

said adhesive which has already been applied to said upper surface of said pattern is directly contacted with said substrate to thereby obtain said transferring of said pattern to said substrate.

30. (New) The transfer method of claim 13, wherein said substrate is free of adhesive before said pattern is transferred to said substrate.

31. (New) The transfer method of claim 13, wherein the transfer sheet comprises a remover layer and a liner sheet, said remover layer being a remover sheet that is applied to said liner sheet.

32. (New) The transfer method of claim 13, wherein the transfer sheet comprises a remover layer and a liner sheet, said remover layer being a remover layer that is sprayed on said liner sheet.

33. (New) The transfer method of claim 13, wherein
said pattern comprises one or more separate designs printed or copied
onto one transfer sheet, and
said one or more designs are transferred sequentially to said substrate.

34. (New) The transfer method of claim 13, wherein said pattern comprises resin toner.

35. (New) The transfer method of claim 13, wherein said one or more coating layers are applied on said transferred pattern as a liquid.

36. (New) The transfer method of claim 13, wherein said transferring comprises applying said pattern to said substrate and subsequently separating said transfer sheet from said pattern.

37. (New) A transfer method consisting of:

- forming a pattern on a transfer sheet by copying or printing;
- applying an adhesive with a brush to a first surface of said pattern, said first surface of said pattern facing away from said transfer sheet;
- transferring said pattern to said substrate by applying heat or pressure, said transferring consisting of applying said pattern to said substrate to thereby adhere said pattern to said substrate with said adhesive, and subsequently separating said transfer sheet from said pattern; and
- forming one or more coating layers on said pattern after separating said transfer sheet from said pattern.

38. (New) The transfer method of claim 37, wherein said transfer sheet consists of a liner sheet and a remover layer.